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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of )  
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For: REOVIRUS FOR THE TREATMENT OF )  
NEOPLASIA )

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO**  
**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated December 11, 2001, setting a period for response of two months, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Submitted herewith is a petition and fee for a 5-month extension of time.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 26 and ending at page 15, line 30 with the following paragraph. A marked up version of the text is shown below under the heading "APPENDIX - VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE."